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SAMPLE SELECTION AND REUSE OF

RAKE FINGERS IN SPREAD SPECTRUM SYSTEMS

RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Pursuant to the Notice to File Missing Parts of NonProvisional Application Under 37 C.F.R. §1.53(b), mailed September 19, 2001, in connection with the above-identified application, Applicants submit the following documents:

- 1) Declaration for Nonprovisional Patent Application;
- 2) Power of Attorney by Assignee;
- 3) Recordation Form Cover Sheet;
- 4) Assignment;
- 5) Return copy of Notice to file Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application Filing Date Granted;
- 6) Transmittal of Formal Drawings; and
- 7) Formal Drawings 13 Sheets.

The U.S. Patent and Trademark Office is hereby authorized to charge the following fees to Pennie & Edmonds LLP Deposit Account No. 16-1150:

1) Surcharge Fee for filing declaration

\$65.00

2) Assignment Recordation Fee

\$40.00

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Pennie & Edmonds LLP Deposit Account No. 16-1150. A copy of this sheet is enclosed for accounting purposes.

Respectfully submitted,

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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

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Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 65.

The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 because:
 - drawing sheets do not have the appropriate margin(s) (see 37 CFR 1.84(g)). Each sheet must include a top margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a left side margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a right side margin of at least 1.5 cm. (5/8 inch), and a bottom margin of at least 1.0 cm. (3/8 inch);

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